

### **Remark**

As an initial matter, the Applicant would like to thank the Examiner for his careful search and the finding of allowable subject matter. The Applicant proposes herein amendments to correct clerical errors and antecedent basis issues. Claims 2, 6, 16, and 19-21 have been amended.

### **Conclusion**

Since the proposed amendments merely embody the correction of formal matters, and do not affect the scope of the claims, the Applicant respectfully requests their entry.


**Invitation for a telephone interview**

The Examiner is invited to call the undersigned at (303) 740-1980 if there is any issue with the allowance of this case as amended.

Respectfully submitted,

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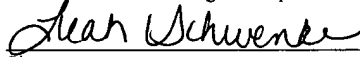
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